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FILE LIFECYCLE MANAGEMENT

Examiner: A. G. Kalinowski

**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

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Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision of the Patent Examiner dated October 8, 2004, finally rejecting claims 1-13 and 38-46 of the above-identified patent application.

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